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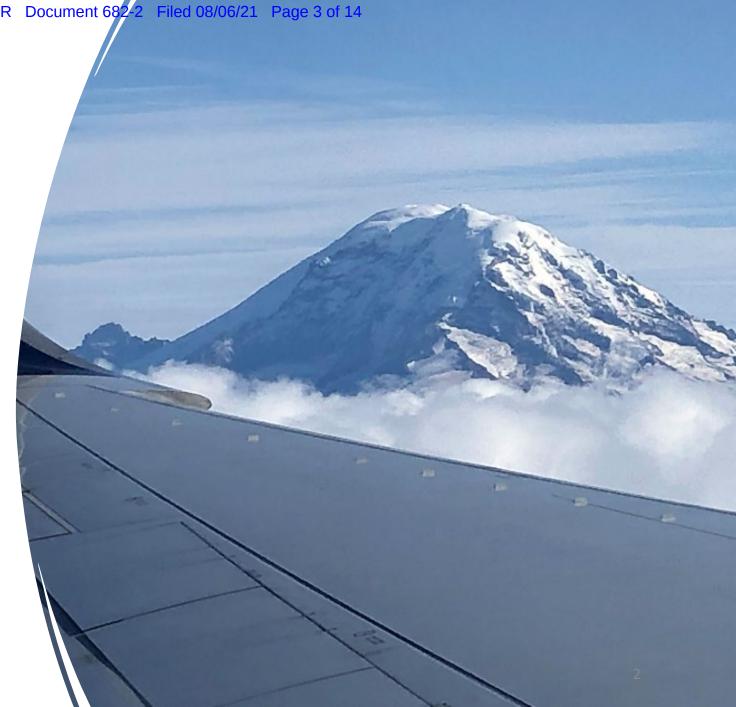
Public Safety & Human Services Committee July 27, 2021



What is a Sentinel **Event Review** (SER)?

- Examine significant events with negative outcomes ("sentinel events") for systemic root causes, in order to prevent recurrence.
- Used in healthcare, airline, and other high-risk industries for decades—used more recently in policing such as for officer-involved shootings.
- This is the first known instance of applying SER to a rolling series of significant events.



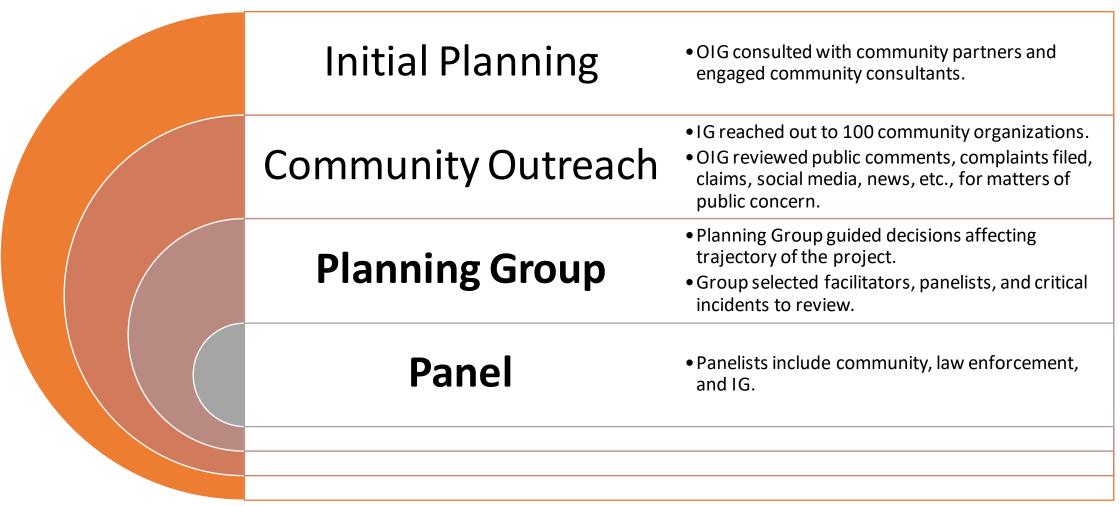


"Focus on community perspectives and concerns; define implementable recommendations for SPD change."

from SER Principles and Goals



Focusing on Community Perspectives





Forming Viable Consensus Recommendations

Shared Goal of Meaningful Change

 Participants were not interested in participating unless there was a likelihood of true change.

Diverse Panel Experiences

- Having community and law enforcement helped to support operational viability of community priorities.
- Note: Panelists participated in their individual capacities

Peacemaking Circle Process

 Peacemaking created a supportive environment for honest, hard conversations.



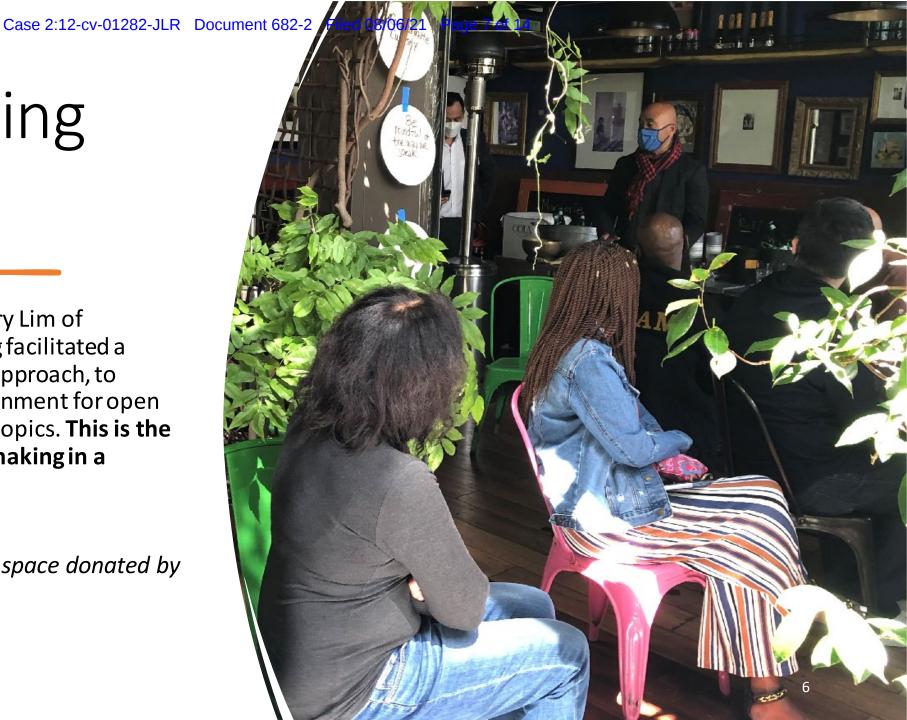
Peacemaking

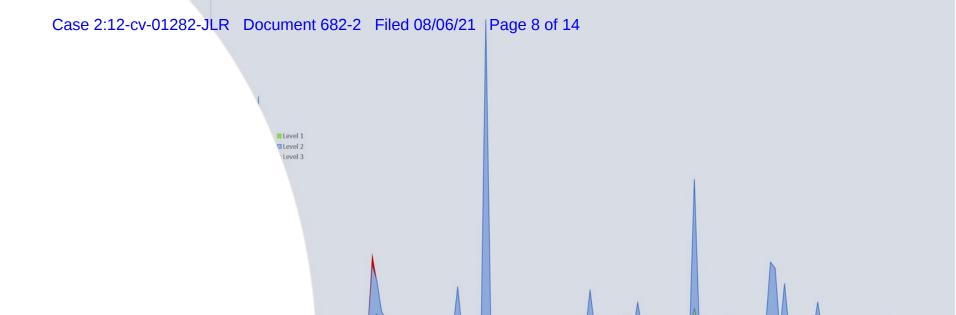
 Saroeum Phoung and Thary Lim of PointOneNorth Consulting facilitated a peace and reconciliation approach, to create a supportive environment for open conversations on difficult topics. This is the first known use of Peacemaking in a sentinel event review.

Panel meeting in community space donated by Donna Moodie.



Circle





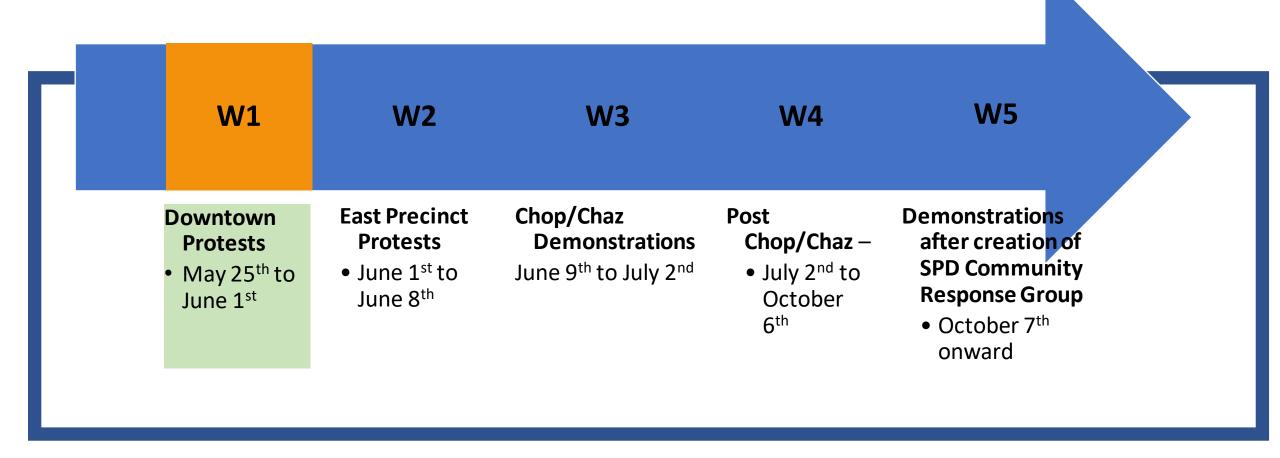
Data Review & Incident Selection

SPD had over 750 protest-related uses of force in 2020. Periods of intense activity happened in five identifiable waves.

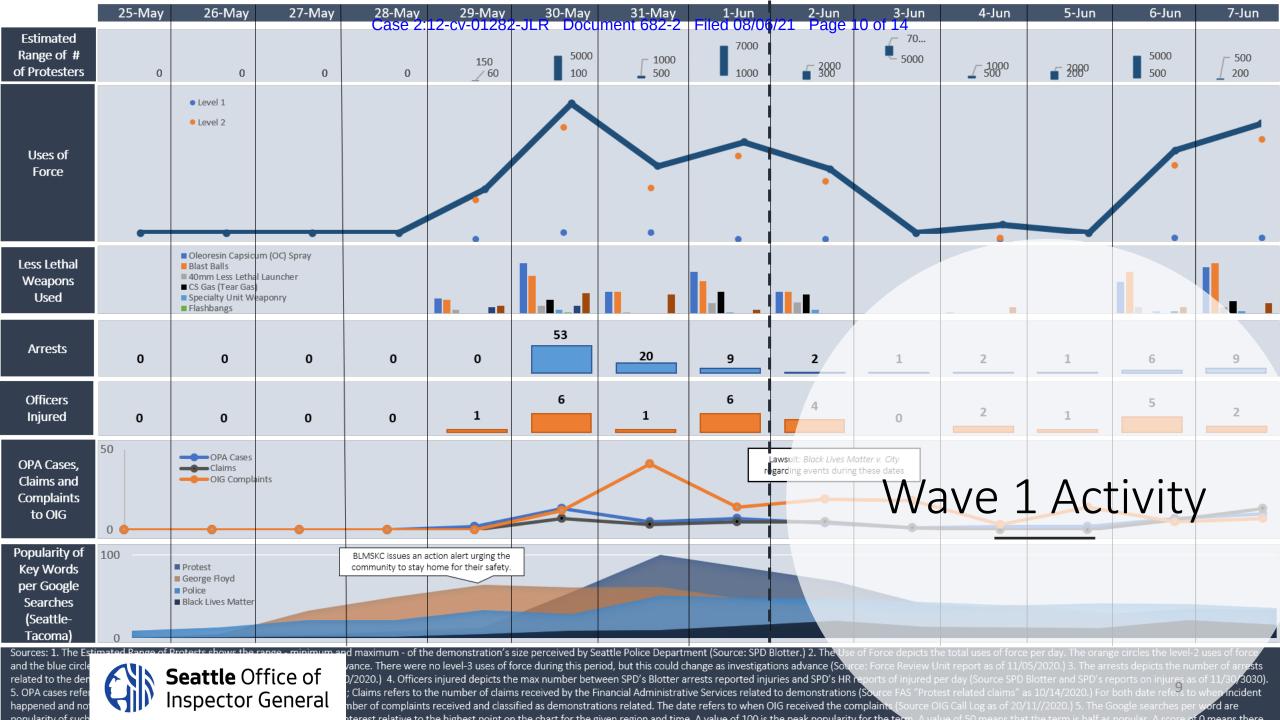




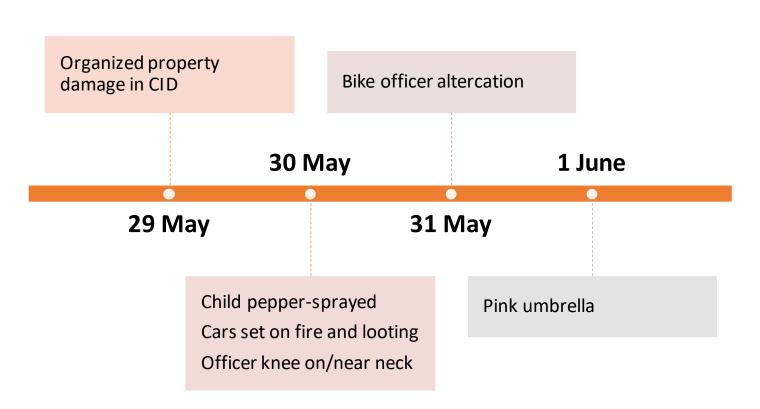
Five Waves of Activity

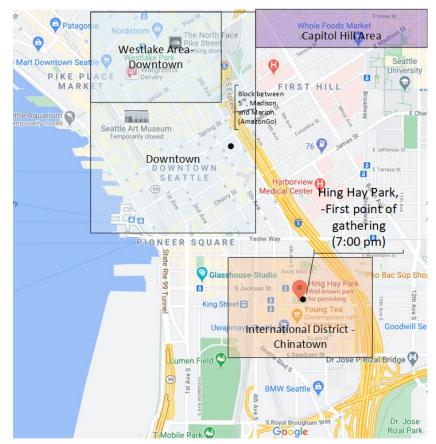






Wave 1 Incidents Reviewed











54 Recommendations: Five Themes

Community Legitimacy

 Addressing the gap between what SPD may be permitted to do by law and what is expected by community (structural vs. perceived legitimacy)

Situational Awareness

 Moving from a mindset of crowd management and control to one of crowd facilitation and crowd safety

Community Engagement

 Improving communication with communities and protesters before, during, and after protests

Tactics and Equipment

 Being aware of how certain tactics can escalate tensions

Officer Wellness and Training

 Recognizing the impacts of long shifts and prolonged hostile environments on officer wellness and behavior

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Any Questions?

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